

2854

HDP/SB/21 based on PTO/SB/21 (08-00)

TRANSMITTAL FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

Application Number	09/771,105
Filing Date	January 26, 2001
First Named Inventor	Dennis R. Weise
Group Art Unit	2854
Examiner Name	Leo T. Hinze
Attorney Docket Number	5898-000159

Total Number of Pages in This Submission

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

- | | | |
|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment / Response
<input type="checkbox"/> After Final
<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request
<input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 | <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (for an Application)
<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s)
<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers
<input type="checkbox"/> Petition
<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application
<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address
<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer
<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund
<input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to Group
<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
<input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
<p style="text-align: center;">Postcard</p> |
|--|---|---|

Remarks

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 08-0750. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual name	Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C.	Attorney Name	Anna M. Budde	Reg. No.	35,085
Signature	<i>Anna M Budde</i>				
Date	January 20, 2003				

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, or facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date indicated below.

Typed or printed name	Anna M. Budde		
Signature	<i>Anna M Budde</i>	Date	January 20, 2003

RECEIVED
JAN 24 2003
TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/771,105
Filing Date: January 26, 2001
Applicant: Dennis R. Weise
Group Art Unit: 2854
Examiner: Leo T. Hinze
Title: Printing Process
Docket No.: 5898-000159

PATENT

#7/
Request
Recons.

1-27-03

L. Spruell

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

JAN 24 2003

RECEIVED

Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is Applicants' response to the Office Action mailed November 1, 2002 which claims 1-10 and 14-19 were rejected and claims 11-13 were withdrawn as directed to a patentably distinct invention. Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the rejections and reconsideration of the claims in view of the following comments.

This Reply is timely filed, as a reply is due on or before February 1, 2003 without extension.